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Ordered That the Issuing Commissary deliver to Lieut Sam¹ Hanson of the Reg^t Extra 9 is Coffee deficiency of Stores to the 1st Inst. and also to Capt. William Middleton of the State Boat Dolphin 2 rations p Day for himself and one Ration for each of the Hands employed to navigate the said Boat.

That the Commissary of Stores deliver to Cap^t William Beatty 14 Coats, 36 Jackets 1 p^r Breeches, 10 p^r Overalls, 12 Shirts 85 p^r Stockings, 15 p^r Shoes, 15 hats 85 Blankets, to be delivered over to the Soldiers in the Maryland Line and to be by him accounted for to the said Comm^y

That the Armourer deliver to Capt. Benjamin Williams 45 Muskets complete with Accourrements, 12 Boarding Pikes & 6 Cutlasses to be delivered over to Richard Barnes Esq^r Lieut. of S^t Marys County.

Commission issued to Benjamin Williams appointed Captain of the Barge called the Independence.

The Council have this Day agreed with Capt. William Middleton to command the State Boat Dolphin for six Months on the following Terms £ 9 hard money at the Exchange, 2 Gallons Rum $\frac{1}{2}$ † Bohea Tea, 8ts Bro. Sugar and $4\frac{1}{2}$ †s Coffee p month and 2 rations p Day.

Ordered That the western shore Treasurer deliver to John Dorsey & Co. 94 lll^{ds} Tobacco weighing 88,997 is a 50£ p hund. and 4 p Cent amounting to forty six thousand two hundred and seventy eight pounds, ten shillings which this Board have sold them

That John Bullen Esq^r Quarter Mast^r deliver to Col^o Alexander Lawson Smith of the Regim^t Extra I Covered Ammunition Waggon to be charged to the Continent

That the western shore Treasurer pay to John Garreguies a Recruit enlisted for the 8th Regim^t fourteen Pounds, one shilling and three pence of the new Emission in lieu of one thousand five hundred Dollars part of the Bounty engaged to be given him by Richard Dallam Lieut of Harford County as appears by his Letter to this Board of the 15th Inst to be charged to the said Richard Dallam.

That the said Treasurer pay to Monica Clifford eight Pounds, three shillings and one penny half penny of the new Emission in lieu of three hundred and Twenty six Pounds five shillings due p Acc^t passed by the Dep^y Aud.

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[Council to Colo. Alexr L. Smith]

Sir We request you will prepare to march agreeable to the Route fixed by the Board as soon as possible. It will be necessary that a sufficient Number of Officers should remain in this City to take